IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

GREGORY A. BARTO, :

Petitioner :

: No. 1:16-cv-01799

v. :

: (Judge Kane)

MARK GARMON, et al.,

Respondents :

ORDER

AND NOW, on this 21st day of May 2018, in accordance with the accompanying

Memorandum, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Gregory A. Barto's petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 (Doc. No. 1), is **DISMISSED with prejudice**;
- 2. A certificate of appealability will not issue, as Barto has failed to demonstrate a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right. <u>See</u> 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2); <u>Miller-El v. Cockrell</u>, 537 U.S. 322, 335-36 (2003); and
- 3. The Clerk of Court is directed to **CLOSE** this case.

s/ Yvette Kane

Yvette Kane, District Judge United States District Court Middle District of Pennsylvania